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beef stew, Monday; chicken stew,
Tuesday and Wednesday; fish chowder,
Thursday; fish balls, Friday; hamburger
steak Saturday. Oyster stews, clam
chowders, baked beans, coffee and other
refreshments served at all hours.

Barre Evening Enterprise.

Associated
Press
Dispatches.

BARRE, VT., SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 1898.

PRICE ONE CENT.

The Weather.

Boston, April 23.—Rain to-night, cloudy
to-morrow, winds shifting.

Among the Churches.

Announcement of Tomorrow's Services

BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the Baptist church tomorrow
morning Rev. P. P. Womer, pastor of the
Congregational church in Williams-
town, will preach in exchange with the
pastor. The Bible School will meet at
12 o'clock. The Junior Endeavor So-
ciety holds its meeting at 4 p. m., and
the Senior Society meets at 6.15, the
subject being "Habits." At 7.30 p. m.
Mr. Fuller will preach on "The Chris-
tian and his Bible," and after the ser-
mon will administer the ordinance of
baptism.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

In the Universalist church Sunday
morning, Rev. Effie K. M. Jones will
preach on "The Price of Vision," and
in the evening on "The Way to Suc-
cess." All the other services of the as-
usual.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. James L. Barton of Boston
will preach in the Congregational church
to-morrow evening. The new "Hymnal
for Congregational Churches" will be
used on Sunday for the first time. They
are for sale at Brown & Co's drug store
and at Chas. A. Smith's bookstore. Old
books may be exchanged for new at the
close of each service to-morrow.

On the Corner.

While reading the Barre letter in a
Boston Sunday paper a few days ago
the Inspector discovered that a "Space
Writer" had discovered a new way for
securing funds for a public hospital. His
plan was to have 50 of our prosperous
citizens take out an insurance policy
for \$1000 to be paid in 15 years. This
it was claimed by the correspondent
gives us \$50,000 15 years from now
and assures the city of a hospital. The
Inspector asked the Club for an
opinion regarding the plan, and all who
responded, denounced it as too slow
and not in any way satisfactory. The
better way they said to raise funds for a
city hospital was to raise them among
former citizens who are now wealthy
men and live other cities and with these
erecta hospital. Here the Inspector
thought was a good work for the Civic
Federation to carry out. The women
would be the best fitted for such work
for who would refuse to subscribe for
such a purpose when asked to do so by
a woman?

The Civic Federation will surely re-
ceive liberal patronage at their May
party which they announced soon to be
held at the Armory. "On The Corner"
will have a goodly number in attend-
ance to aid in the good work. The la-
dies have undertaken a most valuable
venture and should have the support of
very loyal citizen of the city.

"On The Corner Club" will it is ex-
pected send out a company for the first
regiment of Sharpshooters when the
President issues his call. It is possible
that a band consisting of a hand or-
gan and a phonograph will also be sent
to the seat of strife from The Corner.

The Inspector learns that "On The
Corner Club" intend to have a house
warming some evening next week when
it is expected some member of the City
government and a representative of the
Water Companies will give a joint de-
bate on the question of granting permits
for laying of pipes through certain
streets. Knowing the qualifications of
the probable debaters the Inspector
assured those "On The Corner" and
those who read the report's here record-
ed that "Will be a hot time at
The Corner."

The local corps of the Salvation Army
will intend to furnish music on the
"Corner" Sunday afternoon, as their
patriotic airs are likely to arouse the
members to such an extent that if "The
National Volunteer Reserve" even open
an office here they will have plenty of
recruits.

Those of "The Club" who indulged
in so much kicking because there were
no lights the past few nights ought to
be thankful that we are not every night
in the same condition. There was a
time when Barre was only feebly light-
ed with ancient kerosene lamps in order
to find which late pedestrian was ob-
liged to use a lantern. If we could
stand it for several thousand days and
nights, perhaps we ought to be content
for a few nights to remain in the "dark"
when it is in aid of a church organiza-
tion which is always of help to any city.
The Inspector has been affected as much
as others by the failure to have the lights
but like others "On The Corner" has
to grin and bear it.

THE INSPECTOR.

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good Union principles. My place is in
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None of my goods are sold from the
green cart. JOHN T. CALLAGHAN.

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while they last, also Fancy small ten-
der June Peas, for 10 and 12c a can.
L. M. Averill.

McKinley Signs Proclamation

Another Spanish Ship Captured The Paris in Danger Indignation in Spain

Spanish Fleet at St. Vincent.

U. S. Fleet in Havana Harbor

HAVANA, Apr. 23.—The city is great-
ly agitated with war enthusiasm. The
United States fleet is seen in the offing.
There is great confidence felt among
the Spaniards in the effectiveness of their
batteries at the entrance of the harbor
and along the coast.

The Proclamation.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 23.—The sub-
stance of the President's proclamation
just signed by McKinley is as follows:
"Whereas, by the joint resolution of
Congress recognizing the independence
of the people of the island of Cuba and
demanding the government of Spain to
immediately withdraw its land and naval
forces from said island and directing the
President to use all the land and naval
forces of the United States to carry this
resolution into effect; whereas, by an
act of Congress the President is autho-
rized to raise a volunteer army in time
of war, therefore I, William McKinley
President of these United States of Amer-
ica have thought fit to call and hereby
do call for volunteers in the aggregate
to number 125,000 men in order to
carry into effect the resolution, and the
same to be appointed among the several
states to serve for two years unless soon-
er discharged.
(Signed) WILLIAM McKINLEY."

Reorganization of the Army.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 23.—The House
met at ten this morning and began the
consideration of the army reorganiza-
tion bill.

Another Spanish Ship Captured.

KEY WEST, Apr. 23.—The Spanish
frigate steamer Pedro from Antwerp,
and bound for Pensacola, Fla., arrived
here this morning, having been captured
by the war ship New York. The
prize crew was on board. She is an
iron screw steamer, and owned by Bil-
boa Spain.

Call for 125,000 Men.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 23.—The Presi-
dent will sign the proclamation today
calling for volunteer troops. The call
will be issued Monday for 125,000 men.
The President will send a message to
Congress Monday asking for a formal
declaration of war, which will be made.
Secretary Sherman, it is almost certain,
will leave his seat in the Cabinet and
will be succeeded by Day.

To Destroy Cuban Cables.

KEY WEST, Apr. 23.—The Mangrove
left here this morning equipped as a
cable ship. It goes south of Cuba to
destroy the submarine cables. This
will be a most advantageous move if it
can be accomplished, as it will prevent
the Spaniards in Cuba from communi-
cating with headquarters in Madrid.

The Somers Ready.

FALMOUTH, Eng. Apr. 23.—The tor-
pedo boat Somers is ready for sea and
steam is up to start. There is
great difficulty in getting a crew. En-
sign Hazleton her Commander has en-
listed for London.

Reports to U. S. Embassy.

LONDON, Apr. 23.—Reports have
reached the United States Embassy here
that the Spanish navy left the Canary
Islands several days ago.

Great Powers to Issue Warning.

BERLIN, Apr. 23.—It is understood
that Germany, France, Austria and
Italy are agreeing on a strong
note to be sent to the United States
and Spain warning them to ex-
ercise the greatest caution in dealing
with neutral shipping otherwise full
reparation will be insisted upon by the
powers. The powers also intend to
send vessels to the seat of war.

Spanish Fleet at St. Vincent

ST. VINCENT, Apr. 23.—The Spanish
fleet was seen today.

Naval Militia to Man Ships.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 23.—The naval
militia of the following states have been
ordered to report to man the auxiliary
ships: New York, to the "Yankee";
Maryland, to the "Dixie"; Michigan, to
the "Yosemite"; Massachusetts, to the
"Prairie."

Indignation in Spain.

MADRID, Apr. 23.—The capture of
the Buena Ventura aroused great indig-
nation here, it being claimed that hos-
tilities were not yet supposed to have
commenced.

Reorganization Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 23.—The Army
Reorganization bill passed the House
at 1:45 this afternoon.

Report of Shenandoah's Capture.

LONDON, Apr. 23.—It is reported
that the Spaniards have captured the
American ship Shenandoah which left
San Francisco for Liverpool Jan. 5th.
The ship is a four master and is of
3000 tons. She is owned by Arthur
Sewall of Bath, Me.

TROOPS AND DRINK.

The Curious Statistics Showing What Eu- ropean Nations Pay For Them.

The friends and advocates of "uni-
versal peace" and the foes of intemper-
ance and inebriety are pretty generally
agreed that the expenses attending war
and war armaments and liquid bever-
ages of an intoxicating or exhilarating
kind are unduly large. There is an old
proverb—it is not a Swiss proverb, of
course—to the effect that a man who
drinks more than he should "drinks
like a Swiss," and it is for this reason,
perhaps—and residents of the republic
of Switzerland say for no better one—
that the fame of residents of Switzer-
land for sobriety is not as far-reaching
as the fame of the Scotch, for instance,
for frugality. A recent computation
which has appeared shows that the an-
nual expenditures of the Swiss for wine,
beer, cider and brandy are 175,000,000
francs, six times as much as is spent on
the army. Germany expends, or, more
properly, individual Germans expend,
\$500,000,000 a year on liquid refresh-
ments, distilled or fermented—chiefly
beer and Rhine wine—and \$120,000,-
000 a year on the German army. France
expends in a year \$500,000,000 on
drink, chiefly wine, and \$140,000,000
a year on the maintenance of the army
of the republic. The Italians expend
\$250,000,000 a year for liquors, wines
and cordials and \$55,000,000 for the
Italian army, the expenditures being in
about the same ratio as in other nations.
Austria Hungary expends less upon
liquor in a year than any other country
of the first class in Europe, amounting
to about \$225,000,000, though persons
who are familiar with life along the
blue Danube might not unreasonably
come to the conclusion that \$200,000,-
000 of this sum was spent in the city
of Vienna alone in lager beer. Such,
however, is not the case. In the moun-
tainous districts, particularly in the
Tyrol, Transylvania and in Croatia,
very little wine is drunk, and though
Hungary produces a drunk and steadily
increasing amount of wine a very large
proportion of it is exported to other
countries. Relatively not much of it is
kept for home consumption.

The Austria-Hungarian army costs
\$70,000,000 a year, or less than one-
third of the cost of the liquors con-
sumed in a year. The Russians expend
\$300,000,000 a year in liquors and
\$150,000,000 a year, or one-half as
much, for the maintenance of the army.
England expends \$480,000,000 a year
on beer, ale, wine, porter, gin, rum and
smoky whisky and \$90,000,000 a year
on the maintenance of the British army.
No one knows exactly how much is
spent in the United States on liquor in
a year, especially in prohibition states,
but it is supposed that the whisky tak-
en for medicinal purposes costs each
year more than does the maintenance
of the regular army.—New York Sun.

Comparing notes.
"I've been married five years," said
the proud little matron from Detroit.
"That's nothing," laughed the Chi-
cago woman who occupied the same seat
on the train. "I've married five times."
—Detroit Free Press.

Neutrality Proclamation.

ST. JOHNS, Apr. 23.—Gov. Murray
has issued today a neutrality procla-
mation.



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